

**YAKAMA NATION HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**



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**Archaeological Technician**  
**Wildlife**  
**Department of Natural Resources**  
**Hourly Wage: \$15.29/Regular/Full-Time**

Technician provides technical support to the Archaeological staff, utilizing a basic understanding of anthropological field techniques in connection with locating and evaluating sites. Conducts pre-filed office research, and field surveys, using a variety of reference materials and technical instruments. Searches areas of proposed projects for evidence of historic and prehistoric remnants and use areas. Determines exact locations of sites and is able to record them on maps. Records information on site survey forms. Assists in insuring work assignments are carried out in a safe and timely manner according to established standards and procedures. Incumbent will be provided additional training as necessary. Duties may include: GPS/GIS related tasks, locating prehistoric and historic purposes, archaeological data recording and other tasks as assigned by Archaeological staff.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:**

- Knowledge of the geography and terrain of the Yakama Reservation and Ceded Area.
- Ability to read road maps.
- Ability to demonstrate experience with archaeology, geography or soil profiling.
- Ability to operate cameras, computer and other technical instruments or the ability to learn to use them.
- Ability to be punctual, organized, self-motivated and adaptable.

**General Recruiting Indicators:**

- Previous archaeological experience, field school or demonstrated knowledge of this field of work.
- Enrolled Yakama Tribal Members Preferred.

**Special Requirements:**

- Required to pass a pre-employment alcohol and drug test.
- Required to pass a pre-employment background check.
- Must be able to pass a 2 mile pack test for wildland fire suppression assignments.
- Must possess, or have the ability to obtain, a valid Washington State Driver License with the ability to obtain a valid Yakama Tribal Drivers Permit.
- Must be physically fit in order to work outdoors in a variety of field conditions and weather extremes.